

SUMMARY OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATION BETWEEN GASAHF  
AND UNIDENTIFIED "EMPLOYEE" OF GULF ELECTROQUIP OF HOUSTON, TEXAS

The caller contacted the writer at 12:30 p.m. on June 19, 1980. He declined to make known his identity, address, or telephone number-- saying only that he lived in the south part of Houston.

He reported that he was one of nine persons who were involved in "illegally" disposing of transformers and capacitors by his employer, Gulf Electroquip. He indicated that he and one other person are still employees, with the other seven having been terminated within the past four weeks.

He then reported that he had participated in burying approximately 100 transformers and approximately 250 capacitors at a site owned by Gulf Electroquip on Fidelity Road in Jacinto City. The site is located about 1/2 mile south of IH-10 and 1/2 mile east of IH-610.

All of the transformers and capacitors are supposedly buried under several concrete slabs. Only one of these slabs is to be used as the foundation for a building. About 50 capacitors are supposedly buried under Building #1, which is under erection now. (Buildings #2 and #3 are currently occupied by tenants, Tube Sales and Otto Wolf, respectively.) The remainder of the capacitors and the transformers are reportedly buried under bare slabs. Although the dates of burial were not learned, the impression given was that some had been buried in 1980.

It was also reported that three dump trucks of transformers and capacitors had been disposed of on a vacant property located in Georgia. The property in Georgia was allegedly owned by relatives of one of the officials of Gulf Electroquip.

The caller reported that he might be terminated also and if that occurred he would contact the Environmental Protection Agency personally at that time.

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